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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby:

- 1) Authorize Examiner Fetzner to cancel claims 56-59 by Examiner Amendment; and
- 2) Authorize any fees that are required to enable this Response to be considered by the United States Patent and Trademark Office, charged to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.
- 3) Authorize by Examiner's Amendment the specification changes presented in the Response in Applicants Amendment filed 26 March 2004 in Response to Final Office Action.

Respectfully submitted, Peck et al.

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